










# St. Lawrence Church Faith Formation Calendar 2023-24

	<b>EARLY AM Sunday</b> 8:50am-10:15am Grades K-2	<b>PM Sunday</b> 4:45pm-7:00pm <i>*includes 6pm Mass</i> Grades 2-YEAR 1 Confirmation	<b>SPECIAL NOTES</b>  
	<b>AM Sunday</b> 9:00am-11:15 <i>*includes 9am Family Mass</i> Grades 1-YEAR 2 Confirmation	<b>EVENING PM Sunday</b> 6:00pm-8:15pm <i>*includes 6pm Mass</i> YEAR 2 Confirmation All High School Confirmation	
<b>September 10<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Mass</b> Orientation for <b>Kinder &amp; 1st Grade</b> students (w/parents) Details will be emailed.	<b>Session 1</b>	<b>WELCOME BACK!</b>
<b>17<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Session 1</b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>Catechetical Sunday</b>
<b>24<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>Mass</b>	
<b>October 1<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>Session 2</b>	
<b>8<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>Mass</b>	
<b>15<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Session 2</b>	<b>Mass</b>	
<b>22<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>Session 3</b>	
<b>29<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Session 3</b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>11/1 - All Saints Day</b> <i>*Holy Day of Obligation</i> <b>11/2 - All Soul's Day</b>
<b>November 5<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>Session 4</b>	
<b>12<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>Mass</b>	
<b>19<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Session 4</b>	<b>Mass</b>	
<b>26<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>Happy Thanksgiving!</b>
<b>December 3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>Session 5</b>	<b>Advent Begins</b> 12/8 Immaculate Conception <i>*Holy Day of Obligation</i>
<b>10<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Session 5</b> <b>Christmas Pageant!</b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>All children are invited to join the pageant!</b>
<b>17<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>Session 6</b>	
<b>24<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>Merry Christmas!</b> 
<b>31<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>January 1st</b> <b>Mary, Mother of God</b> <i>*Holy Day of Obligation</i>

January 7 <sup>th</sup>	Session 6	Mass	
14 <sup>th</sup>	Mass	Mass	
21 <sup>st</sup>	Mass	Session 7	1 <sup>st</sup> /4 <sup>th</sup> Grade: Empowering God's Children Class
28 <sup>th</sup>	Session 7	Mass	1 <sup>st</sup> Grade: Empowering God's Children Class
February 4 <sup>th</sup>	Mass	Session 8	
11 <sup>th</sup>	Session 8	Mass	4 <sup>th</sup> Graders: Empowering God's Children Class
14 <sup>th</sup>	Ash Wednesday – 4pm Mass Followed by Grilled Cheese & Tomato Soup Dinner for all students and families!		LENT Begins
18 <sup>th</sup>	Mass	Mass	
25 <sup>th</sup>	Mass	Mass	
March 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Mass	Session 9	
10 <sup>th</sup>	Session 9	Mass	
17 <sup>th</sup>	Mass	Session 10	Last session for PM YEAR 2 Confirmation Candidates
24 <sup>th</sup>	 Palm Sunday – 9am Mass With Procession for All AM & PM Students! 		
31 <sup>st</sup>	Mass	Mass	Easter Sunday He is Risen! 
April 7 <sup>th</sup>	Session 10	Mass	Last session for AM YEAR 2 Confirmation Candidates
14 <sup>th</sup>	Mass	Session 11	
21 <sup>st</sup>	Session 11	Mass	
28 <sup>th</sup>	Mass	Mass	
May 5 <sup>th</sup>	Mass	Session 12	May Crowning 11am Mass
12 <sup>th</sup>	Session 12	Mass	 Mother's Day



## Faith Formation Teaching Masses

All students in each grade are required to attend their session with a parent. All family members are invited! **All Teaching Masses Begin at 5:30pm in the church.**

1 <sup>st</sup> Grade: December 4 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup> Grade: Monday, February 26 <sup>th</sup>
2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade: Monday, March 4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade: Monday, November 13 <sup>th</sup>
3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade: Monday, October 16 <sup>th</sup>	6 <sup>th</sup> Grade: Monday, October 30 <sup>th</sup>

# Sacramental Preparation

Important dates required for children celebrating  
Holy Communion and Confirmation in Spring of 2024

## First Reconciliation (REC) & First Communion (COMM) Preparation

*\*The below events are required in addition to the above curriculum classes for students celebrating 1st Communion\**

Meetings with Parents of Children preparing for 1st Reconciliation & 1st Communion	Fri. Oct. 20, 2023 @6pm or Sat. Oct. 21, 2023 @2:30pm
1st REC Workshops (students only)	Sat. Jan. 20, 2024 @1:00pm & 3:00pm
1st Reconciliations (students & families)	Sat. Feb. 3, 2024 @10:00am & @11:30am *Snow day: Sat. Feb. 10, 2024
Eucharist Retreat (students & parents)	Sat. April 13 or 20, 2024 @9am & 12:30pm
1st COMM Reconciliations (students & families)	Mon. Apr. 22, 2024 or Tues. Apr. 23, 2024 @5:00-6:30pm (details will be emailed)
1st COMM Rehearsals (students & at least 1 parent)	Mon. Apr. 29, 2024 @5:30pm (for AM Mass) Tue. Apr. 30, 2024 @5:30pm (for PM Mass)
First Communion Masses	Sat. May 4, 2024 @10:30am Sat. May 4, 2024 @1:00pm
May Crowning	Sun. May 5, 2024 @ 11am Mass

## Important Dates

### YEAR 1 Confirmation

<b>Retreat</b> <i>Includes pizza dinner</i>	<b>Friday, March 1st</b> 5pm-8pm	At St. Lawrence Church Additional details will be emailed
<b>Faith &amp; Good Works project is due</b>	<b>Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup> (AM)</b> <b>Sunday, April 14<sup>th</sup> (PM)</b>	Please bring completed form to class

## Important Dates

### YEAR 2 Confirmation including High School

<b>Parent/Child Meeting</b>	<b>Tuesday, September 12<sup>th</sup></b> 7pm-8pm *Mandatory	All YEAR 2 Confirmation students and parent will meet in the Church
<b>Retreat</b> <i>*Mandatory</i>	<b>Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup></b> 12pm-6pm *Includes 5pm Mass with family	At St. Lawrence Church Additional details will be emailed
<b>Form Folder Due</b>	<b>Sunday, February 4<sup>th</sup> (PM)</b> <b>Sunday, February 11<sup>th</sup> (AM)</b>	Please bring your folder with all forms completed to class
<b>Confirmation Rehearsal</b>	<b>Wednesday, April 17th</b> 7pm-8pm	Please attend the rehearsal with your Confirmation Sponsor
<b>Reconciliation</b> <i>*Mandatory</i>	<b>April 22<sup>nd</sup> or 23<sup>rd</sup></b> 5pm-6:30pm	A signup link will be emailed home to sign up
<b>Confirmation Day!</b>	<b>Celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation</b> <b>Saturday, April 27<sup>th</sup> at 10am</b>	Additional details for the Mass will be emailed home